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MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freſheſt Advices foreign and domeſtic.

THURSDAY, *October* 20, 1757.

LONDON, *June* 2.

WE hear from Liverpool, that a young Perſon, 5 Feet high, aged about 19, who entered in January laſt on board the Reſolution Privateer, Captain Barber, under the Name of Arthur Douglas, proceeded with the Ship from London to that Port, went aloft to furl the Sails, &c. when called upon, was frequently muſtered among the Marines at the Time they exerciſed the Small-arms, and, in ſhort, executed the Office of a Landſman in all Shapes with Alacrity, was laſt Week diſcovered to be a Woman, by one of her Meſs-Mates. 'Tis ſaid that he found out her Sex on the Paſſage, and that ſhe, to prevent a Diſcovery, then promiſed to permit him to keep her Company when they arrived there; but as ſoon as they came into Port, refuſed his Addreſſes. The Officers in general give her a very modeſt Character, and ſay, by her Behaviour, ſhe muſt have had a genteel Education. She has changed her Cloaths, but will not ſatisfy any of them with her Name or Quality; only that ſhe left Home on Account of a Breach of Promiſe of her Lover. 'Tis remarkable, that during their Paſſage down, on the Appearance of a Sail, ſhe was eager to be fighting, and no ways affected with Fear or Sickneſs in the leaſt. [*This* admirable *Girl deſerves an* Admiral *for a Huſband.*]

Extract of a Letter from St. Colomb, in Cornwall, dated July 22, 1757.

"On Friday laſt, a few Minutes after Six in the Evening was felt at this Place, and all the Neighbourhood, a Shock of an Earthquake, which, through the Providence of God, did no other Damage than frightening the ſeveral Perſons who felt it: It was preceded with an horrible rumbling Noiſe, louder than Thunder, and the Shock continued for about Half a Minute, in ſome Places longer. By certain Accounts received from Redruth, we find, that the vaſt Piece of Machinery, the Fire-Engine, at North-Down, was inſtantaneouſly ſtopped by the Violence of the Shock: We hear alſo, that it was felt at Grampound, Truro, Tregony, Redruth, Helſtone, Penzance, and almoſt in every Part of the Country, but the farther Weſt the more violent, many Perſons being unable to ſtand on their Feet through the Violence of the Motion; but moſt terrible was its Shock to the Miners under Ground, many of them being in Danger of being buried alive in the Mines where they wrought.——A Perſon juſt now informs me, that the Noiſe he heard in the Bowels of the Earth near Penzance, was more loud than that of 1000 Coaches drove at once over the Plain. The ſmall Veſſels at Haile, were ſeen to move, where they were moor'd in the Sand, the Tide being out.—The Hand of the Lord ſeems to be lifted up againſt us, to ſtrike the fatal Blow; but may a national Repentance, and an univerſal Turning to God, avert the impending Stroke."

Extract of a Letter, dated St. John the Angelick, (40 Miles from Rochelle) June 19, *from Captain Cuthbert, late of the Ship Anſon Privateer.*

"On the 22d Inſtant I fell in with a large Fleet, to which I gave Chace, fell in about the Middle of them, and as there were 3 large Ships to Windward, which I took to be the Convoy, edged to Leeward, attempting to cut ſome of them out; but there found the Amitie Frigate, of 24 Guns, and 250 Men, which we engaged from Half an Hour paſt 4, to 3 Quarters paſt 7 o'Clock; and as my brave Lads behaved like Engliſhmen, I believe we ſhould have carried her, had not the Warwick, of 60 Guns, and two more Frigates, bore down upon us. As ſoon as they ſheered along-ſide, they gave me their Broadſides, both from their lower and upper Decks. I gave them one in Return, and then ſtruck, after receiving 3 Shot between Wind and Water, and moſt of my Rigging cut to Pieces.——They have ſtripped all my People, and only left me two Shirts and two Pair of Stockings.

"Ranſomers for the following Veſſels, taken by the Count de Maurepas Privateer, were brought into Dunkirk the 9th Inſtant, viz. For the Society, of Whitehaven, from Newry for Drontheim, 160 Guineas; the Jane, of Workington, Duke, from Drontheim for Wexford, 115 Guineas; the Two Brothers of Newcaſtle, Lemmus, from Dublin for Workington, 75 Guineas; the Southwold, of Stranford, Reed, from Drontheim for Portoferry, 280 Guineas; the Betty, of Leith, Pew, from Bergen for Montroſe, 125 Guineas; the Eupan, Smiton, from Alloa for Amſterdam, 165 Guineas; the Mayflower, of Greenock, from Thurſo for Greenock, 200 Guineas; the Diligence, of Aire, Bruce, from Foyſund for Aire, 320 Guineas; the Hankinſon, of Pollofuther, Dodſon, from Limerick for Peterſburg, 330 Guineas; the Janet, of Cambleton, Robertſon, from Stackſilow for Cambleton, 120 Guineas; the Trader, of Belfaſt, Sutherland, from Thurſo for Belfaſt, 300 Guineas; the John's Increaſe, Chriſtie, from Shields for Dublin, 550 Guineas; the Stornoway, Macleod, from Gottenburg for Belfaſt, 300 Guineas; the Induſtry, Liddell, from Leith for Irveig, 630 Guineas; and the Batchelor, of Stranford, Maccunnel, from Drontheim for Stranford, 250 Guineas. The ſaid Privateer has ſent two Veſſels to Norway, and ſunk one."

Extract of a Letter from the valiant James Conner, Captain of the Hawk Privateer, of 20 *Six Pounders, and* 150 *Men, belonging to Briſtol, dated in Bayonne Priſon.*

"On the 10th of June, about Three in the Afternoon, the Man at the Maſt-Head eſpy'd a Sail about two Points upon the Weather Bow, the Wind then at E. N. E. Immediately hauled up for her, and cleared Ship in Readineſs; at Half paſt Four we came very cloſe, and hoiſted our proper Colours, which were ſoon anſwered by their hoiſting French Ones, and bearing away (having the Weather-Gage) in order to rake us, which I avoided by doing the like: We then, almoſt Board and Board, gave them three Cheers, they anſwering us with the like; we took the Opportunity, and begun the Scene by a Diſcharge of our Larboard Cannon, Swivels and Muſquetry, which were ſoon diſcharged on both Sides. We lay by each other for about two Hours very cloſe, in which Time we had ſeveral wounded, and ſome killed. The Wounded, to get to the Cockpit, were obliged to unlay the After-gratings; many of our People took that Opportunity of quitting their Quarters, and our chief Havock being upon the Quarter-Deck, the greateſt Part ſlipt from that Place. I diſpatched the Maſter with a Cutlaſs to drive them up, the Lieutenants being all buſy; when an unlucky Accident happened, of ſome looſe Powder getting Fire, which cauſed a ſudden Exploſion: Upon which, I heard a general Cry for to ſtrike, that the Fire had got to the Magazine, and many of our People blown up; and in this Confuſion Somebody ſtruck the Enſign: The Enemy, greatly encouraged at this Diſaſter, played upon us a conſiderable Time after, ſo that we did not expect any Quarters. If it had not been for this Misfortune, it would have been a very bloody Engagement. We have loſt 24 Men killed, wounded and blown up, the moſt of which in ſo terrible a Manner, that there are very little Hopes of their Recovery. When we went on board the Conqueror, we found her to be the Eagle of Bayonne, mounting 26 Nine-pounders on one Deck, 360 Men, and but three Days out of Port, when we unfortunately met them. We ſhot the Captain's Right Hand off, and alſo ſhivered his Right Thigh Bone to Pieces, ſo that it is feared he will loſe his Life; great Numbers of their Men loſt Limbs, and many otherwiſe wounded; but as to their Dead we could not learn, but believe they muſt be numerous. They ſtole a great many Sick aſhore in the Night, leſt the Number ſhould come to the Public. The Captain next Morning after the Action deſired to ſee me; I waited upon him in the Cockpit, where he lay in great Miſery: He told me to ſit down by him upon his Bed, and he graſped my Hand with his Left, told me very politely he was ſorry for my Misfortune, as well as his own, and promiſed to treat me and my Officers with a great deal of Humanity, which he gave ſtrict Orders about; but alas! full late for us; all our Garments, &c. being before plundered, except what we had on our Backs; but every other Civility we were ſhewn with the greateſt good Manners. The Captain's Name is Martin la Farque, a Man eſteemed for his Merit univerſally in this Place, and none like him (*it's poſſible the Capt. means the Place where he wrote*) for Humanity. I am ſent with nine more of my Officers to this Priſon, where we are cloſely confined, without a Change of any Thing, or any Money to get it with. My Officers behaved with great Bravery, and not one of them but what had the common Intereſt at Heart."

July 30. The Prince of Bevern Privateer, Capt. Chandler, has cut and taken out of a French Port, a Privater deſigned for 16 Guns, the Day after ſhe was off the Stocks.

Sunday laſt a very extraordinary Affair happened at St. Albans. About 12 o'Clock at Noon, a Swarm of Bees came into the Bull-Inn-Yard, and, in a few Minutes, ſettled on one of the Hoſtlers fore and hind Parts of his Breeches, and hung down between his Legs to the Size of a large Bullock's Heart, and there continued for the Space of an Hour, while a Bee-Hive was prepared, which they were afterwards put into: What is ſtill more remarkable, neither the Man on whom they fixed, or any other Perſon, was ſtung in the whole Time.

BRISTOL, *June* 11.

Extract of a Letter from our Correſpondent, at Aberdeen, dated June 4, 1757.

"The Grampus Sloop of War went paſt this Place laſt Week with the Iceland Trade under her Convoy, and to the Northward of this Place, the Duke d'Aumont Privateer, bore down upon them and attacked the Grampus, and endeavour'd to board her, but was beat off; they continued the Engagement for about three Quarters of an Hour, when the Privateer ſtruck, having four Men killed and ten wounded, and the Grampus had three Men wounded; the Prize mounts ſixteen Guns and ninety four Men. The Grampus left her Prize at the Orkneys to refit, having loſt her Bowſprit and Fore-top-maſt, and arrived here Yeſterday with forty-nine of the Priſoners who are now in our Tolbooth. There are ſome of them talk good Engliſh. I heard one of them ſay they carried ſixteen Ranſomers to France laſt Cruize, and had been out nine Days, but had got nothing, when they were taken. The Grampus is to go back for her Prize and the Reſt of the Priſoners."

KINGSTON *(in Jamaica) Auguſt* 30.

On Saturday laſt arrived here his Majeſty's Sloop Stork, of 14 Guns, who convoyed the Fleet from Cork, bound to the Windward Iſlands and Jamaica, who informs us he had an Engagement off Cape Tiberoon with two French Privateers, mounting 12 Guns each, Four Pounders; the Engagement laſted from Four o'Clock till Evening, when an unlucky Shot from the Stork killing the Commodore, Monſieur ſheered off, fearing a greater Mortality would enſue; as alſo to repair the Damages they had ſuſtained during the Action.

As the Oracabeſſa, Capt. Holland, was coming round the Eaſt End of the Iſland, he eſpied a Sloop, whom he ſuppoſed was a French Privateer, by her laying with her Sails a back, &c. and imagining the firſt Blow to be half the Battle, gave her his Bow-Chace, which went through her Cabin,

bin, whereupon ſhe ſtruck her Colours, and on ſending out their Boat, found, to his Diſappointment, that it was an Engliſh Flag of Truce, commanded by Mr. Richard Curtain, bound to Porto Prince.

BOSTON, *October* 3.

Monday laſt arrived at Newport, Rhode-Iſland, a fine large French Ship, Frigate built, between 3 and 400 Tons Burthen, which was taken and ſent in by Capt. Benjamin Wanton, in a Privateer Brig belonging to that Port, in Conſort with a Bermuda Snow;——ſhe had 45 Men, and mounted 18 Guns, 6 of which were of Wood; and ſtood an Engagement of Four Hours before ſhe ſtruck.——Her Cargo conſiſts of Oil, Wine, Brandy and Dry-Goods; and was taken in Lat. 19, the S. Side of Hiſpaniola.

ANNAPOLIS, *October* 20.

We hear from *Fort-Cumberland*, that the Week before laſt, upwards of Twenty *Cherokees* march'd from thence, and about Eight Miles above the ſaid Fort, upon *George's-Creek*, fell in with a Party of *Shawaneſe* and *Delawares*, and ſome *French*, with whom they had a Skirmiſh which laſted about a Quarter of an Hour; the *Cherokees* kept the Field, and brought into *Fort-Cumberland* a *French* Enſign's Scalp, his Inſtructions, and ſeveral Match-Coats and Mockaſeens.

Sunday laſt Died in *Prince-George*'s County, Mr. PETER DENT, who had been Deputy-Commiſſary of that County upwards of Twenty Years, and for many Years, and at the Time of his Death, Chief Juſtice of the County.

Mr. GEORGE SCOTT is appointed Deputy-Commiſſary of *Prince-George*'s County, in the room of Mr. DENT, Deceaſed.

A few Days ſince, Died in *Baltimore* County, Capt. TOBIAS STANSBURY, much regretted by his Acquaintance.

A Petition has been preferr'd to the General Aſſembly by Mr. *Joſeph Wood*, of *Frederick* County, relating to a Machine of his conſtructing, which is to go perpetually; and has been the Labour of Fourteen Years. Mr. *Wood* is gone to fetch the Machine to Town, and will be back in a Day or Two.

Yeſterday arrived here in Six Weeks from Liverpool, *Captain* George Watt, *in the Snow* Chriſtian; *by whom we are favoured with the* Liverpool *Public Prints, to the 26th of* Auguſt; *from which we have taken the following Articles, which are all that we can find room for this Week.*

WHITEHALL, *Auguſt* 11, 1757.

On Tueſday laſt a Meſſenger arrived from his Royal Highneſs the Duke's Camp on the Weſer; and bro't the following Relation of what paſs'd between his Royal Highneſs's Army and the French, from the 24th to the 26th paſt, inclusively. Sunday, July 24.

THE Enemy marching in three Columns, with Artillery, towards the Village of Latford, Major-General Furſtenberg, who commanded the Out-poſts in the Village, and in the Woods, ſent an Officer to inform his Royal Highneſs of it; who immediately reinforced thoſe Poſts with a Body of Troops under the Command of Lieutenant-General Sporcke. His Royal Highneſs found it impoſſible to ſupport the Village, as it was commanded by the Heighths oppoſite to it, that were poſſeſſed by the Enemy; and withdrew his Poſt from Latford, having it always in his Power to retake it, from it's Situation in a Bottom between two Hills.

The Enemy made two Attacks, one at the Point of the Wood, the other higher up in the ſame Wood, oppoſite to the Grenadiers commanded by Major-General Hardenberg. They failed in both; and tho' the Fire of their Artillery was very ſmart, they were obliged to retire. The French Army encamping on the Heighths oppoſite to the Duke of Cumberland's Poſts, together with the Accounts he had received, that M. d'Etrees had aſſembled all his Troops, and had with him a very conſiderable Train of Artillery, left his Royal Highneſs no room to doubt of his Intentions of attacking him; his Royal Highneſs therefore determined to change his Situation, and take a more advantageous one, by drawing up his Army on the Heighth between the Weſer and the Woods, leaving the Hamelen River on his right, the Village of Haſtenbeck in his Front, and his left cloſe to the Wood; at the Point of which his Royal Highneſs had a Battery of 12 Pounders and Haubitzers. There was a hollow Way from the Left of the Village to the Battery, and a continual Moraſs on the other Side of Haſtenbeck to his right. In the Evening his Royal Highneſs withdrew all his Out-poſts; and in this Poſition the Army lay upon their Arms all Night. Major-General Schulenberg, with the Chaſſeurs and two Battalions of Grenadiers, with ſome Cannon, was poſted in the Corner of the Wood upon the Left of the Battery. His Royal Highneſs ordered the Village of Haſtenbeck to be cleared to his Front, that it might not be in the Power of the Enemy to keep Poſſeſſion of it; and the Communications we had made uſe of during our Encampment there, to be made impracticable. On the 25th in the Morning, the Enemy appeared marching in Columns as if they intended to attack, and began to cannonade us very ſeverely, which laſted almoſt the whole Day. They marched and countermarched continually, and ſhewed as if they meant three Attacks, on our Right, Left, and Center. In the Evening their Artillery appeared much ſuperior to ours. The Army lay on their Arms all Night. His Royal Highneſs ordered the Battery at the Point of the Wood to be repaired; and reinforced Count Schulenberg's Command with a Battalion of Grenadiers, and two Pieces of 12 Pounders; and ſupported it by four more Battalions of Grenadiers, under Major-General Hardenberg. His Royal Highneſs ordered a Battery to be made of 12 and 6 Pounders (the firſt of which were ſent for from Hamelen) behind the Village of Haſtenbeck, and took all the Precautions he could think of to give the Enemy a good Reception. As ſoon as it was Day-light, his Royal Highneſs got on Horſeback to reconnoitre the Poſition of the Enemy, and found them in the ſame Situation as the Day before. At a little after Five a very ſmart Cannonading began upon our Battery, behind the Village that was ſupported by the Heſſian Infantry and Cavalry. Their Countenance and Steadineſs, in ſo ſevere a Fire, is hardly to be expreſſed or equalled. Between Seven and Eight the Firing of Small-Arms began on our Left, when his Royal Highneſs ordered Major-General Behr, with three Battalions of Brunſwick, to ſuſtain the Grenadiers in the Wood, if wanted. The Cannonading went on all the Time, rather augmenting than decreaſing; but it did not create the leaſt Diſorder in the Troops. There never was ſeen ſo much Firmneſs, though it laſted above ſix Hours, from firſt to laſt. The Fire of the Small-Arms on the Left increaſed, and the Enemy ſeemed to gain Ground on us. His Royal Highneſs detached Colonels Dachenhauſen and Bredenbach, with three Hanoverian Battalions and ſix Squadrons, round the Wood by Afferde. The Grenadiers in the Wood, apprehenſive of being ſurrounded, from the great Force of the Enemy that appeared there, and were marching round on that Side, tho' they repulſed every Thing that appeared in their Front, thought it adviſable to retire nearer the Left of the Army, which gave the Enemy an Opportunity of poſſeſſing themſelves of our Battery, without any Oppoſition. Here it was that the Hereditary Prince of Brunſwick diſtinguiſhed himſelf at the Head of a Battalion of Wolfenbuttle Guards, and a Hanoverian Battalion, by attacking and repulſing, with his Bayonets, a ſuperior Force of the Enemy, and retaking the Battery. The Enemy being in Poſſeſſion of a Heighth, that commanded and flanked both our Lines of Infantry, and our Battery, which Attack they could ſupport under the Cover of a Hill, and his Royal Highneſs could not diſpute, without expoſing his Flank, both to their Artillery and Muſquetry; he ordered the Army to retreat, which was done in the greateſt Order, and with the greateſt Reluctancy, the common Soldiers deſiring to be led on to revenge the cruel unparallelled Treatment of their Maſters and Countrymen. His Royal Highneſs retreated to Hamelen, where he halted ſome Time, and then continued his March to Lhune. The Enemy did not ſhew themſelves in any Shape, during our Retreat. Whether it was owing to what they had ſuffered, or to the good Countenance of the Troops, we will not pretend to ſay. Col. Bredenbach attacked four Brigades very ſtrongly poſted with a Battery of 14 Pieces of Cannon; charged the Enemy with his Bayonets, repulſed and drove them down a Precipice, with a conſiderable Loſs; took all their Artillery, Ammunition, &c. but, preferring the Care of his Wounded, to the carrying away of the Cannon, he only brought off ſix, nailing up and deſtroying the reſt.

Col. Dachenhauſen, on his Side, drove ſeveral Squadrons of the Enemy as far as their Army, who never gave him an Opportunity of charging them. This Attack was late in the Day, and at ſuch a Diſtance, that his Royal Highneſs was not informed of it, till ſome Time after his Retreat.

The whole Loſs of his Royal Highneſs's Army, during the three Days, is as follows:

FOOT.

Hanoverians——Killed, 1 Officer, 3 non-commiſſioned Officers, 78 private Men——Wounded, 9 Officers, 22 non-commiſſioned Officers, 219 private Men——Taken or miſſing, 36 private Men.

Brunſwick Troops——Killed, 2 Officers, 8 non-commiſſioned Officers, 62 private Men——Wounded, 10 Officers, 8 non-commiſſioned Officers, 96 private Men——Taken or miſſing, 1 Officer, 3 non-commiſſioned Officers, 74 private Men.

Heſſians——Killed, 6 Officers, 9 non-commiſſioned Officers, 80 private Men——Wounded, 13 Officers, 16 non-commiſſioned Officers, 277 private Men——Taken or miſſing, 63 private Men.

7th Battalion Grenadiers——Killed, 2 Officers, 49 private Men——Wounded, 7 Officers, 8 non-commiſſioned Officers, 126 private Men——Taken or miſſing, 36 private Men.

Hunters——Killed, 1 non-commiſſioned Officer, 8 private Men——Wounded, 1 Officer, 9 private Men.

HORSE.

Hanoverians——Wounded, 3 Officers, 13 private Men——Taken or miſſing, 4 private Men.

Heſſians——Killed, 1 Officer, 2 non-commiſſioned Officers, 10 private Men——Wounded, 5 Officers, 28 private Men——Taken or miſſing, 3 private Men.

Hunters——Killed, 1 non-commiſſioned Officer, 4 private Men——Wounded, 1 Officer, 6 private Men.

Hanover, Aug. 9. This Day the Duke de Chevreus, at the Head of 2000 choſen Men, took Poſſeſſion of this Capital. The Principality of Cardenberg is to furniſh, under Pain of Military Execution, 1,080,000 Rations of Hay, each weighing 18 lb. 33,000 Sacks of Rye, each weighing 200 lb. and the ſame Quantity of Wheat and Oats; Half to be delivered on the firſt of September, and the other Half by the firſt of October. The Principality of Grubenhagen is taxed to furniſh 100,000 Rations of Forage, and the Town of Gottingen is to furniſh within a limited Time 24,000 Sacks of Rye, Wheat and Oats.

LONDON, *Auguſt* 6.

We hear that an Expreſs arrived Yeſterday from Bohemia, with the News of a Battle between the Pruſſians and Auſtrians, in which the former gained a complete Victory. The Particulars we have not learned, nor the Date of the Action.

Some Advices ſay, that the brave Heſſians drove the Enemy before them in the late Battle, no leſs than ſeventeen Times.

It is ſaid that in the late Engagement the Hanoverians fought till their Tongues hung out of their Mouths through Thirſt; and all Accounts agree that the Loſs on our Side is very inconſiderable, compared with that of the French.

An Order is given to the Maſter of the Mint for Coining 100,000 l. in Sixpences.

Laſt Friday Night ſeveral Admirals had a Conſultation at the Right Hon. the Earl of Holderneſſe's.

Yeſterday Morning Sir Edward Hawke ſet out for Portſmouth.

All the Officers concerned in the Expedition are ordered to Portſmouth directly.

General Mordaunt ſets out this Day for Portſmouth, to go with the Troops on the Expedition.

Orders are given for the Fleet and Tranſports to be ready for ſailing from Spithead on or before the 15th Inſtant.

In order to expedite the ſailing of the Fleet upon the intended Expedition, the Government have bought a Number of Boats employed in the Whale Fiſhery, inſtead of building new ones; the Repair of which Boats is juſt compleated in the Greenland Dock. Each of theſe Boats will be able to land 30 Men or upwards; and each Tranſport Veſſel is to carry three or more of theſe Boats upon their Booms.

A Liſt of the Army at the Iſle of Wight.

Number	3	1ſt Battalion of Buffs,	Howard,
	8	1ſt Ditto the King's,	Woolf,
	20	1ſt Ditto, ——	Kingſley's,
	25	Regiment, ——	Panmure,
	50	Ditto, ——	Hodgſon,
	51	Ditto, ——	Brudenell,
	33	Ditto, ——	Loudoun,
	24	1ſt Battalion, ——	Cornwallis,
	15	Regiment, ——	Amhurſt,
	5	Ditto, ——	Bentinck.

The firſt Battalion of Effingham's, and ſecond Battalion of Steward's, are on board the Fleet.

Commanding Officers, Lieutenant-General Sir John Mordaunt, Major-General Conway, Major-General Cornwallis.

Wedneſday

Wednesday about 40 Men of Lord Effingham's, that were left on Shore sick, being recovered, embarked at the Dock to go to the Nore, and join their respective Companies on board the Ships there, among which was a Female Soldier, who had been some Years in the Service, and was in the Marines the last War. Her Sex had been known some Time ago; but at her going off Yesterday, she was asked by the General, *If she would be discharged*, but she desired to go, declaring, *That she would serve as long as she could draw a Trigger or wield a Sword*, which she seems capable of doing as well as most of the Men. Some say it is the famous Heroine, Hannah Snell.

August 16. There is certain Advice of the Transports being arrived at the Isle of Wight, and that the whole Fleet was preparing to go on the intended Expedition. The Fleet is to be joined by two Bomb Vessels and their Tenders.

August 19. We are informed that Marshal d'Etrees was wounded in the late Action with his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, and we also hear the French have not made any Attempt to follow the Allied Army.

The Total Loss of the Allies in the Engagement between his Royal Highness the Duke and the French, was,

Killed and missing — —	547
Wounded — — —	907
	1454

Some Letters received by a foreign Minister residing here, contain a Hint of the French King's designing to abdicate the Crown, his Majesty being strongly inclined to withdraw from all public Business.

In a Letter from a Merchant at Utrecht to a Gentleman in Town, dated August 4, it is said, 'Just as I am closing this an Express is arrived, with an Account that the French Troops have taken Possession of Hanover, and are exercising great Hardships to the People in their Demands, &c. It is here said, that his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, with the Hanoverian Army, will shortly join that commanded by the King of Prussia.'

August 20. It is currently reported that the English, under Lord Loudoun and Admiral Holbourne, have taken Louisburg, the Capital of Cape-Breton, together with five Sail of French Men of War that were in the Harbour, but the Admiralty had received no Account of it last Night.

We hear that another Embarkation of 3000 Men is getting ready with all Expedition, in order to be sent to New-York, Advice having been received, that M. Montcalm, with 15000 French, Canadians, and Indians, is encamped at Montreal, about 60 Miles from Quebec, in a Situation very convenient either to protect that Capital if attacked by the English, or to make an Incursion into our Northern Provinces, if the Army of Lord Loudoun should be engaged in an Expedition against any of the remoter Settlements of the French, whether in Canada, or the adjacent Islands.

Forty Men, we hear, are to be draughted out of each Battalion in Great-Britain and Ireland immediately, to supply the new Embarkation for New-York. This fresh Body of Troops is to be commanded by Col. Whitmore; and for their Encouragement, the Lieutenants are to have Five Shillings a Day Advance, and the Men a small Addition to their Pay.

A great many Scaling Ladders of a new Construction, made in the Tower, are on board the Transports going round to Spithead; some of which may be almost instantaneously fixed, and will admit more than 30 Men to ascend a-breast.

LIST of the SHIPS now at Spithead, under the Command of the Admirals Hawke, Knowles, and Broderick.

Ships.	Guns.	Commanders.
Royal George,	100	Buckle.
Ramilies,	90	Hawke.
Neptune,	90	Knowles.
Namur,	90	Denis.
Royal William,	80	Taylor.
Princess Amelia,	80	Broderick.
Magnanime,	74	How.
Dublin,	74	Rodney.
Torbay,	74	Keppel.
Alcide,	64	Douglas.
Burford,	70	Young.
Dunkirk,	60	Digby.
Medway,	60	Proby.
America,	60	Byron.
Achilles,	60	Barrington.
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August 23. It is confidently reported that the richest Prince in Christendom has presented the King of Prussia with a Million of Money, in order to enable him to carry on his Schemes with more Facility and Success. And that his Application of Part of this Sum to a Northern Power, will soon produce a Truce, if not a strict Alliance between them.

'Tis said a Treaty is actually agreed on between England and Spain, of great Importance to both Nations.

The last Advices from Bengal import, that General Clive was at the Head of 2000 Men, and in all Respects able to make Head against any Power that should attempt to disturb the English Settlements.

Letters by Yesterday's Groyne Mail mention the Antigallican's Prize being given up to the French.

The important News received last Week, concerned, as we hear, the secret Expedition; the French having actually declared, that if any offensive Measures were pursued, they would proceed immediately to lay Hanover in Ashes. On this Occasion a P——y C——l was summoned, in which very warm Debates are said to have arisen; since this it has been reported, that some Persons in eminent Stations will resign their Employments.

It being a Question in almost every Company, How his Majesty received the News of the Duke's Defeat and the Loss of Hanover? We can assure the Public, upon good Authority, that his Majesty received the News of those two important Events without the least Emotion; that he has ever since transacted the great Affairs of State with the same Readiness and Ease as usual; and that those nearest his Person could perceive no Difference in Temper or Behaviour, but that of more assiduous Application.

The Report of taking Cape-Breton was raised by a Stratagem of a crazy Man, who being at Portsmouth, pretended he came Express from Lord Loudoun, and by that Pretence came Post to Town, without paying for his Horse. In his Way he waited on the Prince of Wales at Kew, and told him the News, and carried the Matter so far as to demand an Audience of the King at Kensington, but being strictly examined as to the Ship he came in, and other Particulars, his Disorder was found out, and he was ordered to be taken Care of.

We hear Col. Haldane of the Guards is going Governor of Jamaica.

By the great Fall of Wheat in the several Markets, it is fear'd some of the great Engrossers of Corn may disappear *suddenly* by Means of Hemp, or Water, or Powder, and Shot.

Portsmouth, Aug. 19. *The Marquis de Conflans, from St. Domingo for Rochelle, of* 300 *Tons*, 12 *Guns, and* 30 *Men, loaded with about* 160 *Hogsheads of fine, and* 160 *of brown Sugar, about* 170 *Hogsheads of Coffee*, 12 *Casks of Indico*, 4 *Bags of Cotton, and a small Quantity of Tortoise-Shell, was taken the* 24*th of June by the Dreadnought Privateer, Capt. Leifmon, and carried into Bristol.*

August 26. The intended Expedition is the Scheme of a certain worthy, tho' much neglected, Sea Officer. The Plan of Operation carries with it the highest Probability of Success, however insignificant the Enemy may represent it.

THIS GAZETTE, N°. 650, compleats Five Years since the Price of it was alter'd from 14*s* to 12*s*, and Twelve and Half from its first Publication. And all those Gentlemen MY GOOD CUSTOMERS, who have encouraged it by ANNUAL PAYMENTS, are requested to accept my hearty Thanks; But *some* who are in *very long Arrears* will receive no more 'till they clear off their old Accounts.

THE Gentlemen to whom I conveyed my Effects, finding the repeated Offers they made my Creditors, prove ineffectual, I do now acquaint such as it may concern, that the said Gentlemen have returned me the full nett Proceeds of my Effects, except such a Part as some of my Creditors thought fit to accept. The Ballance, which consists chiefly of Cash, good Bonds, &c. I have lodged in the Hands of Mr. *Robert Swan*, Merchant, in *Annapolis*, and will make further Lodgments as fast as the Grain, &c. can be turned into Cash, for the Benefit of my Creditors, or such of them as may think fit to apply and accept a just Proportion thereof. My Testimony, as to the Average, I have also lodged in Mr. *Swan*'s Hands, for the farther Satisfaction of my Creditors; and such as desire it may see all the Accounts returned me by the late Trustees. WILLIAM DAMES.

N. B. As I am conscious to myself of having done all in my Power, am now resolved, let what will be the Consequence, never to make any other Offer in this Manner.

PROPOSALS

For Opening a DANCING-SCHOOL *at* UPPER-MARLBOROUGH, *at the Request of several Gentlemen and Ladies in* Prince-George's *County.*

THE Subscriber (who Teaches a large School at *Annapolis* every Friday and Saturday) intends to open a DANCING-SCHOOL at UPPER-MARLBOROUGH Town (if Encourag'd) the first Day of *November* next, to be Taught every Tuesday and Wednesday. And notwithstanding the unavoidable Expences of Travelling, keeping Horses, and a Musician (who Teaches to play well upon the Violin) the Subscriber will demand no greater Price than what he has at *Annapolis*, which is a Pistole Entrance, and Six Pounds a Year; and those who chuse to Learn by the Quarter, to pay Forty Shillings, and the Entrance.

The Subscriber requests, that the Gentlemen and Ladies (who are desirous to Encourage the said School) will be pleased to send their Names, and Number of Scholars they intend to send, to Mr. *Benjamin Brookes* at *Marlborough*, as soon as possible; and if the Subscriber may be assured of a Dozen Scholars, he thinks it will be sufficient to begin with, otherwise not,

The Subscriber also Teaches the Noble Science of DEFENCE and Pursuit of the SMALL-SWORD, with all the favourite Thrusts, Guards and Parades; the Method of Disarming, and Fencing against rash Men (who are not skilful in the Science) with Blunts or Sharps, as now practised in the City of *London*; a Science very necessary for every Gentleman to know, especially in this Time of imminent Danger.

N. B. The Subscriber begs Leave to return his most grateful Acknowledgments to the Gentlemen and Ladies at *Annapolis*, who have been pleased to favour him with the Tuition of their Children; and assures them, that neither Application or Industry will be wanting to improve his Pupils in Dancing, and every other necessary Embellishment, to the utmost of his Abilities.

JOHN ORMSBY.

TO BE SOLD OR LET,

A TRACT of LAND, containing 260 Acres, 16 Acres of which is excellent fresh Water Meadow, with a good Orchard of young grafted Trees, lying on the *Round-Bay* near the *Vine-Yard*; on which there is a good Dwelling-House, Stable, Corn-House, &c. For Terms, and further Particulars, enquire of Mr. *Lancelot Jacques*, Merchant, in *Annapolis*.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Joseph Hutton*, near *Pig-Point*, taken up as a Stray, a Sorrel Horse, about 11 Hands high, branded with an S. The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

MR. DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME, of this City, Merchant, having lately left the Province, in order to proceed for *London*, and having fully impowered me to Transact his Business during his Absence, Notice is hereby given to such Persons as have any just Claims against him, to bring in their Accounts, that they may be discharged: And as I have Orders for the immediate Settlement of his Affairs, all those who are indebted to him, are requested to be speedy in their Payments, and especially those who have long standing open Accounts, which will save Expence to themselves, and Trouble to

JOHN CLAPHAM, Attorney in Fact.

STRAYED or Stolen from the Subscriber in *Baltimore-Town*, the Beginning of last Month, a likely, young, middle siz'd Sorrel Gelding, branded on the near Shoulder with I, and has Something on the lower Part of his off Buttock like a small crooked Scar or Brand, scarcely discernable, has a white Spot in his Forehead in the Shape of a Heart, and all his Feet are white below the Foot-locks; he paces and gallops pretty well, but trots aukwardly, was bred in the Back Woods far up *Patowmack*, and (if Strayed) may probably make that Way.

Also Strayed or Stolen (but supposed the latter) the last of last Month, a brisk, likely, black, spay'd Mare, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock with A, her Mane has been lately all cut off; had on when lost, a small Bell, Rope-Fetters, and Shoes before; she generally paces, has good Courage, and goes pretty well.

Whoever brings home either of the said Creatures, if taken within Twenty Miles, shall have Ten Shillings Reward; if farther, Twenty Shillings, and reasonable Charges; and if Stolen, and the Thief of either of them apprehended and secured in any Goal, Five Pounds more shall be paid on such Thief's Conviction. N. RUXTON GAY,

NEAR Thirty Years ago, one *Henry Bull*, came an Indented Servant, into the Eastern Shore of *Maryland*, with one Capt. *Billings* from *Liverpool*: If the said *Bull* be Living, and will apply to Capt. *Lowndes*, or the Printer of this Paper, he will hear of something well worth enquiring for. Or if the said *Henry Bull* be Dead, and any Body can give any authentic Account, Where he Died, and When, and whether he left any, and what, Family behind him, they shall be handsomely Rewarded for their Trouble. 2

TO BE SOLD,

For WHEAT, TOBACCO, BREAD, FLOUR, *or* CASH,

A WELL-BUILT SCHOONER, now lying in *Gunpowder* River, her Burthen about 20 Ton, has run about 2 Years, sails well, and is very fit for carrying Grain. For Terms apply to the Owner at *Onion's* Iron-Works in *Baltimore* County. JOSEPH SMITH. 3

ERECTING, and will be ready to Go, by the 25th of this Instant *October*, at the Head of *South* River, at the Mill commonly known by the Name of *Beall's* Mill, about Nine Miles from *Annapolis*, and Seven Miles from *Queen-Anne-Town* in *Prince-George's* County, a good FULLING MILL, with all Things necessary for that Business, with a good Fuller that understands most Branches of it. All Persons who make use of the same, may depend on good Usage, by

Their most humble Servant,

JOHN DUCKER. X 3

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC VENDUE, by the SUBSCRIBERS, on Thursday the Third of November *next, for ready Money, the several following Tracts and Parcels of* LAND, *(lately the Property of* Alexander Buncle, *Deceased), lying in* Worcester *County*, viz.

ONE Tract containing 1075 Acres of Land, 70 of which is cleared, with a good Dwelling-House thereon, 5 Rooms on the lower Floor, and 2 Rooms on the upper Floor, one good Kitchen and Quarter, with Brick Chimneys, a Brick Smoke-House, and Milk-House, one large Barn and a good Stable, and other small convenient and useful Houses; as also an Apple Orchard, and Peach Orchard, it being the Land and Plantation whereon the said *Alexander Buncle* lately lived.

One other Tract, containing 200 Acres, adjoining the Land and Plantation above described, with some small Improvements thereon.

One other Tract, containing 100 Acres, being a Cypress Swamp, lying on *Pocomoke* River, and near the Mouth thereof.

One other Tract, containing 50 Acres, lying on a Creek, called *Popper's-Creek*, near *Indian-River*. 3

One other Tract, containing 89 Acres, lying on *Broad-Creek*, near *Nanticoke* River.

Thirty-five Acres, Part of *Snow-Hill* Town, being the lower End of said Town, all contiguous.

One other Lot, in *Snow-Hill* Town, N°. 11, with a Dwelling-House, Warehouse, and Store-House.

One other Lot, N°. 23, lying before and near to the Court-House Door, in *Snow-Hill* Town.

Two other Lots, N°. 7 and 8, with Houses thereon.

Three other Lots, lying to the Southeastward of the new Church, in *Snow-Hill* Town.

One other Lot, lying next to the Landing, called the *Deep-Landing*, very convenient to the Water. And,

Fifty-six Acres of Swamp, and Water Lots, lying between *Snow-Hill* Town and the River.

ANNE BUNCLE, Executrix,
JOHN SELBY, Executor.

N. B. The Relict of the said *Alexander Buncle* hath her Dower in the above-mentioned Lands.

** Lots N°. 7 and 8, the Title disputable.

TO BE SOLD VERY CHEAP,

A GOOD Second Hand CURRICLE, or POLE CHAISE, with a Bellows Head, good Harness, a Steel Bar, and every Thing compleat: The Pole takes off, and a Pair of Shafts may be fixed to it upon Occasion. Enquire of *William Randall*, Saddler, at the Town-Gate. 4

TO BE SOLD,

A CONVENIENT TANYARD, lying in *Annapolis*, adjoining to a good Landing, with all the Appurtenances thereunto belonging: In which are, 14 Vats, 2 Lurches, 5 Handles, 4 Limes, 2 Granaries, and 2 large Water-Ponds, most of them all lately sunk, and done in the best Manner. The Water-Ponds are constantly supplied, from a natural Spring, by a Drain under Ground, and are sunk in the Beam-House, with the Granaries: The House is 40 Feet by 18, and framed with Poplar Scantling, and well covered. There are also Two other Houses, lately built, one with Brick, a Story and ½ high, 23 Feet by 16, and hath one Fire-Place, and covered with Clapboards, and Shingled over them: The other House is 60 Feet by 21, one End of which, 20 Feet long, is built with Brick and Stone, a Story and ½ high; in which is Two Fire-Places below, and one above; in the other End is a Mill-House, with a Leather-Room below, and Lodging-Rooms above, with sundry convenient Sheds joining to it, such as Meat-House, Stables, Lime-House, and Bark-House, all covered with Shingles. There is also a good Garden and small Pasture, both well paled and fenced in. Also to be Sold sundry NEGROES, chiefly brought up in the Tanyard, and to the Tanning Business. And as the Subscriber intends soon to depart this Province, the Whole will be Sold on reasonable Terms, and Time given for Payment if required. He has also to Sell, a small SLOOP, suitable for the Grain Trade, being a prime Sailer, and in as good Repair as when first Launched, and will carry about 8 or 900 Bushels of Grain. For Terms apply to

ROBERT SWAN.

N. B. The Tanyard, with the Improvements, will be Sold with, or without, the Negroes, as the Purchaser pleases. 3

TO BE LET,

A PLANTATION belonging to *Mr. Thomas Wilson*, of *Queen-Anne's* County, commodiously situated in the said County, on the Head of the North Branch of *Wye* River, within half a Mile of a good Landing, together with the NEGROES, STOCK, and UTENSILS, thereon. The Tract contains upwards of Four Hundred Acres, on which there is a large clear'd Plantation, a good Dwelling-House, and other Office-Houses, and some valuable Meadow very well water'd. The whole Tract very fit for producing Corn, Tobacco, and Wheat, of which last there is a considerable Quantity now put in the Ground.

Any Person inclining to Rent the Premises, are desired to apply to *John Bracco*, now at *Annapolis*, or the said *Thomas Wilson*, at his Dwelling-Plantation on *Wye* River aforesaid, and know the Terms on which they will be Let. 4

TO BE SOLD,

By the Subscriber, in ANNAPOLIS, *at very reasonable Rates*,

GOOD CLARET WINE, *West-India* RUM, Loaf and *Muscovado* SUGAR, MELASSES in Barrels, and good *Castile* SOAP by the Box. 5 JAMES JOHNSON, junior.

TO BE SOLD,

HAIRS, lately imported from *London*, to the Amount of about Twenty-five Pounds Sterling first Cost, very good, and well sorted; also, some Barber's Utensils. Enquire of the Printer. 5

September 21, 1757.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in *Annapolis*, on the 20th Instant, a Convict Servant Man named *William Logan*, a Barber by Trade, about 23 or 24 Years of Age, of a very small Stature and effeminate Look, wears his own Hair, which is a dark brown, and curls a little: He is pert and talkative. Had on a grey Bearskin Coat with white Metal Buttons, a red Waistcoat, brown *German* Serge Breeches, white Stockings, and an old four'd Hat.

Whoever takes up and brings home the said Servant, if taken within five Miles of Town, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, beside what the Law allows; and if further off, Three Pounds, and reasonable Charges, paid by

ANDREW BUCHANAN. X 5

Port-Tobacco, September 2, 1757.

TAKEN out of *Port-Tobacco* old Church, on Wednesday Night, the 31st ultimo, a Woman's GOLD WATCH, made by FORTER, LONDON; the Out-side Case of black Shagreen, the In-side Case Gold chas'd; and has a very fine double wash'd Pinch-beck Chain, a Gold Dial-Plate, a fine Stone Seal of Pinch-beck, double wash'd, and an Egg of Gold to put Sponge in. Also a Woman's Housewife with three Flaps, and full of Needles of different Kinds, and several more Trifles, such as Rushes, *&c.*

Whoever will bring or convey the said Watch and Housewife to the Subscriber, or to Mr. *Walter Hanson*, Major *Daniel of St. Thomas Jenifer*, or to Mr. *William Douglas*, shall have THREE PISTOLES and a HALF Reward, and no Questions ask'd. WILLIAM WARE.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Dr. *Alexander Hamilton*, late of *Annapolis*, deceased, are desired to make immediate Payment, otherwise they may expect to be sued: And those who have any Demands against the said Estate, are desired to bring in their Accounts, that they may be settled by WILLIAM MURDOCH.

JOHN INCH,

Living near the DOCK at ANNAPOLIS,

KEEPS a good BOAT and HANDS to carry Passengers, Carriages, and Horses, across the Bay to *Kent-Island*, or *Eastern-Neck*, at the usual Prices. And, as he keeps a House of ENTERTAINMENT, all Travellers may depend on good Provisions, and kind Treatment. From

Their humble Servant,

JOHN INCH.

N. B. He has a good COOPER who performs any Thing in that Way of Business, at very reasonable Prices.

THE Subscriber intending shortly for ENGLAND, desires Settlements with all Persons who have open Accounts with him, and Payment from as many as can oblige him. Such as cannot discharge their Ballances, will be indulged with Time, on giving Security, if thought necessary to be required. HANCOCK LEE. 2

TO BE SOLD BY THE SUBSCRIBER, at his House near Elk-Ridge *Church, in* Anne-Arundel *County*,

AN Assortment of good fresh MEDICINES, Chymical and Galenical, imported from *London*, sufficient (with the Addition of a few more, which may be had here) to furnish a Shop for a Beginner in the Practice of Physic; as also Utensils for an Apothecary's Shop, a compleat new Set of Surgeon's Instruments, a small Collection of new Books on Surgery, Physic, *&c.* The Medicines to be Sold all in one Article, the Instruments in another, and the Books and Shop-Furniture, as the Buyer shall have Occasion, and as shall be agreed on, all at reasonable Rates, for Sterling or Current Money, or Credit upon Security, if required, by JAMES MACGILL.

N. B. A Catalogue of the Books may be seen at the PRINTING-OFFICE.

WANTED,

A CURATE in *Dorchester* Parish, in *Dorchester* County. Any CLERGYMAN of the Church of *England*, that is without a Parish, and can come well recommended, will meet with great Encouragement, by applying to the Vestrymen of said Parish, who are impowered by the present Incumbent to agree with some fit Person to officiate in his Place.

Signed per Order,

ROGER JONES, Register.

June 9, 1757.

ALL Persons indebted to the PAPER CURRENCY OFFICE, are required to pay the INTEREST due on their BONDS within Six Months from the Date hereof, otherwise the Bonds will be put in Suit.

Signed per Order of the Commissioners,

RICHARD DORSEY, Clerk
of the Paper Currency Office.

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MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freſheſt Advices foreign and domeſtic.

THURSDAY, *October* 27, 1757.

PARIS, July 28.

AT a Time when we are pouring our Troops into Germany, to the Aſſiſtance of the Empreſs-Queen, the Public are here alarmed with an intended Invaſion on the Part of the Engliſh, who, it is aſſured, are making great Preparations for attacking us on the Side of Normandy, Britany, &c. their Plan being, as it is ſaid, to attempt the Demolition of Breſt, Orient, and other Places, along the Coaſt; taking the Opportunity of the Abſence of the greateſt Part of our Marine Force, now in America. The Court however does not appear ready to make any Alteration in its main Deſign, contenting itſelf with ordering a competent Number of Troops for the Security of the Coaſt.

Paris, July 29. On the Receipt of the News of a new Engliſh Squadron appearing off Toulon, a great Council was held at Court; and a Courier diſpatched to Madrid the next Morning. In the mean Time we learn, that a Matter of momentous Concern is at preſent on the Tapis between this Court and that of Spain. Some will have it that the whole Syſtem of Spaniſh Politics is inverted, and that a new and extraordinary Colliſion is likely to be the Effect of the cloſe Connexion between France and Vienna. There are others, however, who as warmly aſſert, the Period is at Hand for ſtriking an effectual Blow to that Sovereignty over the Seas ſo long uſurped by the Engliſh.

Paris, Auguſt 1. Count de Conflans is ſpeedily to ſail from Breſt with 18 Ships of the Line and 4 Frigates, with which he is to obſerve that which is fitting out in England for a ſecret Expedition, or he will perhaps, on his Side, execute an Enterprize to be likewiſe gueſſed at.

Paris, Auguſt 12. The Liſt ſent to the Court of the Killed and Wounded on our Side, in the Battle of Haſtenbeck, is as follows:

Killed	17 Officers,	Wounded	118 Officers.
	1038 Soldiers,		1159 Soldiers.

Frankfort, Auguſt 7. The unfortunate City of Zittau has fallen the Victim of a War in which it was no ways concerned, few Houſes remain but what are greatly damaged, and ſeveral Hundreds of the Inhabitants periſhed in the Midſt of the Flames. The Beſieged cry out againſt the Fury and Impatience of the Beſiegers, and they in their Turn lay the Blame on the Obſtinacy of the Beſieged, and the Imprudence of the Inhabitants. However, if we may believe the Auſtrians, they got into the Town Time enough to ſave 6000 Sacks of Flour.

Dreſden, Auguſt 4. According to the Particulars we have received concerning Zittau, the Inhabitants of that Place, in the Midſt of the Showers of Bombs and red hot Balls that beat down their Houſes, or ſet them on Fire, uſed their utmoſt Endeavours to ſave at leaſt Part of their Effects. They reckoned, that as ſoon as their Town ſhould be taken, they ſhould feel the Effects of the Victor's Mercy; and indeed the Auſtrian Generals intended to ſpare them: But among the Troops that took Poſſeſſion of the Town, there were Pandours, Sclavonians, and ſuch like Irregulars, who, making no Diſtinction between the Inhabitants and the Pruſſians, took but little Thoughts about relieving the former, and imagined, that whatever they could pick up was lawful Booty. The Warehouſes, filled with various Goods, eſpecially Linens, in which Zittau traded largely, were almoſt entirely burnt down, or plundered. Thoſe wretched Inhabitants, deprived of the Succour they expected, and ſtript of almoſt every Thing, were drove to Deſpair, and a great Number had no other Courſe to take but to ſeek Refuge among the Pruſſians. The Prince of Pruſſia, ſeeing them come in Crowds to the Corps he commanded, afforded them what Relief was in his Power. The Queen of Poland, ſenſibly affected with the deplorable Fate of thoſe People, has made Repreſentations to Marſhal Daun about his cruel Behaviour towards Zittau, which ought to have been ſecured from a Bombardment, as it belonged to the Saxon Dominions: In Anſwer to which the Auſtrian General has intimated, that he is as much concerned at it as the Queen; that the Pruſſians obſtinately perſiſted in defending Zittau, tho' they had been ſummoned ſeveral Times to deliver it up; and as it was of the greateſt Importance to him to take it, and to deprive them of the Reſource they ſhould find in the Preſervation of the Magazines, he was obliged, though much againſt his Inclination, to come to the Extremities abovementioned.

Paris, Auguſt 5. Notwithſtanding the great Rejoicings made here on Account of the Victory obtained over the Duke of Cumberland, it is certain the Court, and in particular the King himſelf, is not highly pleaſed therewith, as from the great Superiority of our Army there was great Reaſon to expect a total Defeat of the Hanoverians. The ſtrange Conduct alſo of the Commanders of ſome Battalions, who ſo far miſtook the Enemy as to fire on each other, is highly cenſured; and as we learn from good Hands, that two of our Regiments, of which one was Swiſs, were almoſt entirely deſtroyed by the Fierceneſs of the Fire, before the Miſtake was diſcovered.

Turin, Auguſt 3. We hear that on the 12th of laſt Month there was an Engagement in the Bay of Cagliari between Capt. Gwynn, Commander of his Britannic Majeſty's Ship the Ambuſcade, and the Captain of a French Privateer called the Invincible; after firing at each other for above an Hour, the Privateer, who loſt about 30 Men, ſtruck. There were only three Men killed on board the Ambuſcade; and on the 13th ſhe arrived with her Prize at Cagliari.

Warſaw, July 16. A Courier arrived here Yeſterday Morning with an Account of Meinel's having ſurrendered. The Terms of the Capitulation were, that the Garriſon ſhould go out with all the Honours of War, but ſhould engage not to ſerve againſt the Empreſs, nor any of her Allies, for the Space of one Year. Marſhal Apraxin's Army has certainly paſſed the Niemen, and is advancing ſlowly towards Pruſſia.

Berlin, Auguſt 6. The King occupies with his Army in Luſatia the moſt advantageous Situation that the preſent Circumſtances and the Face of the Country will allow; his Right extends to the Elbe, and his Left to the Spree, having Bautzen on his Center, Dreſden behind, and advanced Poſts on the Frontier of Bohemia. The Court has juſt publiſhed the following Relation of the Encounter which happened lately on the Borders of Pruſſia, between a Detachment of Ruſſian Grenadiers and Coſſacks, and a Body of Pruſſian Huſſars.

From the Head Quarters of Marſhal Lehwald, at Kellau in Pruſſia, Auguſt 4. Col. Malachowſki, Commander of a Regiment of Huſſars, having received Advice the 1ſt Inſtant, that the Coſſacks had made an Incurſion at Niebudzen, 200 Horſe were ordered out to fight them, but at their Approach the main Body of Coſſacks had retired to a Village 2 Leagues from thence, and our Huſſars found before the Village of Kummelen only a Party of Horſe Grenadiers, and a Detachment of Coſſacks, who were ranged in Order of Battle, they waited for our Troops with a firm Countenance in Appearance, they even advanced 200 Paces and fired ſome Volleys. Col. Malachowſki fell upon them with 70 Horſe, routed and purſued them beyond Mikutelen, a little Way from Kautenau, without the Loſs of a ſingle Man on his Side, having only 5 wounded, and 1 Horſe killed. The Enemy left dead on the Spot 2 Lieutenants and 73 Soldiers. We took 26 Priſoners, and according to their Depoſition the Ruſſian Party conſiſted of 160 Horſe Grenadiers, and 100 Coſſacks commanded by Major la Rue. They carried away with them thro' Kautenau ſeven Waggons filled with wounded Men, and among whom was another Major who is ſince dead.

In this Encounter Col. Malachowſki ſhewed as much Valour as Conduct in the Meaſures he purſued. Major de Beuſt, Lieutenant d'Iſedom, and Cornet Hopka, diſtinguiſhed themſelves in this Action, as well as the Lieutenants de Zedmar and de Collas, and Cornet de Berg. The common Soldiers ſhewed great Bravery and diſcharged their Carabines but once, the reſt was effected Sabre in Hand. Marſhal Apraxin's Army, according to the laſt Advices, continued in its former Poſition, at ſome Diſtance from the Frontiers of Pruſſia.

Langen Zaltza, Saxony, Auguſt 4. On the 1ſt of this Month a Detachment of French Huſſars reached this Place, where, after having pulled down the Pruſſian Proclamations and Advertiſements, they took out of the Money Cheſt belonging to the Finances to the Value of 12000 Rix Dollars, which Money they put into the Hands of a Saxon Officer, with Orders for him to deliver it to the Queen of Poland at Dreſden, obliging ſeveral of the Saxon Gentry to engage for that Delivery, or to repay the Money to the Producer of a Billet, they were obliged to ſign. This done, they aſſured us Marſhal Richelieu, with 80,000 Men, would be in Saxony in a few Days. After mature Conſideration, however, they thought proper to take back the Money along with them, and retired in all Haſte into the Principality of Heſſe.

Nienbourg upon the Weſer, Auguſt 6. The Duke of Cumberland continues encamped in the Neighbourhood of Hoya, inclining towards Verden, in order to anſwer his Purpoſe of covering Bremen and Verden, and ſecuring the Communication with Staden; where the Archives and the moſt valuable Effects of the Electorate of Hanover have been carried, and from whence the Duke may moſt conveniently receive the Succours which ſhall be ſent him by the Elbe, and in this Situation he is alſo Maſter of the Lower Weſer, quite to its Mouth.

Paris, Auguſt 5. There is at preſent a great Diſguſt ariſen in the Public againſt the Spaniards, who are ſaid to have behaved extremely ill to ſeveral of our Cruizers in the Mediterranean, thoſe Cruizers having been refuſed both at Barcelona and Carthagena ſuch Neceſſaries and Aſſiſtance which are rarely denied to Ships of any Chriſtian Nation, much leſs to thoſe of France, whoſe Intereſts are ſo intimately connected to that of Spain itſelf. Among theſe Complaints, the Affair of M. de Caillan, Commander of the Nymph, ſeems to merit Regard; it is ſaid that this Frigate, being purſued by two Engliſh Men of War, ran under the Cannon of Cape Pedro, in the Iſland of Majorca, but that deſiring Protection of the Governor of the Caſtle, it was refuſed; ſo that the Captain was obliged to ſet Fire to the Ship to prevent her falling into the Hands of the Engliſh; himſelf and the Crew ſaving themſelves on Shore, where they were treated in a very inhoſpitable Manner, as well by the Governor as the People of the Country.

Paris, Auguſt 8. A very rich and moſt magnificent Preſent is preparing to be ſent to a certain Nabob in India, who has promiſed to aſſiſt our Settlements with any Number of his Troops, in caſe of any hoſtile Attempts being made on them by the Engliſh; and alſo to join with our Forces in any Expedition which our Governor-General may propoſe to put in Execution againſt them. The Value of this Preſent is computed at 3,000,000 of Livres.

Paris, Auguſt 9. The Prince de Soubize was the primary Cauſe of the Marſhal d'Etrees being recalled. It is hoped that his Succeſſor, Marſhal de Richelieu, the Vanquiſher of the Engliſh at Minorca, and the Defender of Genoa, will equally diſtinguiſh himſelf in Germany: But it is nevertheleſs certain that the Marſhal d'Etrees is greatly regretted.

Amſterdam,

NEAR Thirty Years ago, one *Henry Bull*, came an Indented Servant, into the Eaſtern Shore of *Maryland*, with one Capt. *Billings* from *Liverpool*: If the ſaid *Bull* be Living, and will apply to Capt. *Lowndes*, or the Printer of this Paper, he will hear of ſomething well worth enquiring for. Or if the ſaid *Henry Bull* be Dead, and any Body can give any authentic Account, Where he Died, and When, and whether he left any, and what, Family behind him, they ſhall be handſomely Rewarded for their Trouble. 2

TO BE SOLD,

For WHEAT, TOBACCO, BREAD, FLOUR, *or* CASH,

A WELL-BUILT SCHOONER, now lying in *Gunpowder* River, her Burthen about 20 Ton, has run about 2 Years, ſails well, and is very fit for carrying Grain. For Terms apply to the Owner at *Onion*'s Iron-Works in *Baltimore* County. JOSEPH SMITH. 3

ERECTING, and will be ready to Go, by the 25th of this Inſtant *October*, at the Head of *South* River, at the Mill commonly known by the Name of *Beall*'s Mill, about Nine Miles from *Annapolis*, and Seven Miles from *Queen-Anne-Town* in *Prince-George's* County, a good FULLING MILL, with all Things neceſſary for that Buſineſs, with a good Fuller that underſtands moſt Branches of it. All Perſons who make uſe of the ſame, may depend on good Uſage, by

Their moſt humble Servant,
JOHN DUCKER. X 3

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC VENDUE, by the SUBSCRIBERS, on Thurſday the Third of November *next, for ready Money, the ſeveral following Tracts and Parcels of* LAND, *(lately the Property of* Alexander Buncle, *Deceaſed), lying in* Worceſter *County*, viz.

ONE Tract containing 1075 Acres of Land, 70 of which is cleared, with a good Dwelling-Houſe thereon, 5 Rooms on the lower Floor, and 2 Rooms on the upper Floor, one good Kitchen and Quarter, with Brick Chimneys, a Brick Smoke-Houſe, and Milk-Houſe, one large Barn and a good Stable, and other ſmall convenient and uſeful Houſes; as alſo an Apple Orchard, and Peach Orchard, it being the Land and Plantation whereon the ſaid *Alexander Buncle* lately lived.

One other Tract, containing 200 Acres, adjoining the Land and Plantation above deſcribed, with ſome ſmall Improvements thereon.

One other Tract, containing 100 Acres, being a Cypreſs Swamp, lying on *Pocomoke* River, and near the Mouth thereof.

One other Tract, containing 50 Acres, lying on a Creek, called *Popper's-Creek*, near *Indian-River*. 3

One other Tract, containing 89 Acres, lying on *Broad-Creek*, near *Nanticoke* River.

Thirty-five Acres, Part of *Snow-Hill* Town, being the lower End of ſaid Town, all contiguous.

One other Lot, in *Snow-Hill* Town, N°. 11, with a Dwelling-Houſe, Warehouſe, and Store-Houſe.

One other Lot, N°. 23, lying before and near to the Court-Houſe Door, in *Snow-Hill* Town.

Two other Lots, N°. 7 and 8, with Houſes thereon.

Three other Lots, lying to the Southeaſtward of the new Church, in *Snow-Hill* Town.

One other Lot, lying next to the Landing, called the *Deep-Landing*, very convenient to the Water. And,

Fifty-ſix Acres of Swamp, and Water Lots, lying between *Snow-Hill* Town and the River.

ANNE BUNCLE, Executrix,
JOHN SELBY, Executor.

N. B. The Relict of the ſaid *Alexander Buncle* hath her Dower in the above-mentioned Lands.

*** Lots N°. 7 and 8, the Title diſputable.

TO BE SOLD VERY CHEAP,

A GOOD Second Hand CURRICLE, or POLE CHAISE, with a Bellows Head, good Harneſs, a Steel Bar, and every Thing compleat: The Pole takes off, and a Pair of Shafts may be fixed to it upon Occaſion. Enquire of *William Randall*, Saddler, at the Town-Gate. 4

TO BE SOLD,

A CONVENIENT TANYARD, lying in *Annapolis*, adjoining to a good Landing, with all the Appurtenances thereunto belonging: In which are, 14 Vats, 2 Lurches, 5 Handles, 4 Limes, 2 Granaries, and 2 large Water-Ponds, moſt of them all lately ſunk, and done in the beſt Manner. The Water-Ponds are conſtantly ſupplied, from a natural Spring, by a Drain under Ground, and are ſunk in the Beam-Houſe, with the Granaries: The Houſe is 40 Feet by 18, and framed with Poplar Scantling, and well covered. There are alſo Two other Houſes, lately built, one with Brick, a Story and ½ high, 23 Feet by 16, and hath one Fire-Place, and covered with Clapboards, and Shingled over them: The other Houſe is 60 Feet by 21, one End of which, 20 Feet long, is built with Brick and Stone, a Story and ½ high; in which is Two Fire-Places below, and one above; in the other End is a Mill-Houſe, with a Leather-Room below, and Lodging-Rooms above, with ſundry convenient Sheds joining to it, ſuch as Meat-Houſe, Stables, Lime-Houſe, and Bark-Houſe, all covered with Shingles. There is alſo a good Garden and ſmall Paſture, both well paled and fenced in. Alſo to be Sold ſundry NEGROES, chiefly brought up in the Tanyard, and to the Tanning Buſineſs. And as the Subſcriber intends ſoon to depart this Province, the Whole will be Sold on reaſonable Terms, and Time given for Payment if required. He has alſo to Sell, a ſmall SLOOP, ſuitable for the Grain Trade, being a prime Sailer, and in as good Repair as when firſt Launched, and will carry about 8 or 900 Buſhels of Grain. For Terms apply to

ROBERT SWAN.

N. B. The Tanyard, with the Improvements, will be Sold with, or without, the Negroes, as the Purchaſer pleaſes. 3

TO BE LET,

A PLANTATION belonging to Mr. *Thomas Wilſon*, of *Queen-Anne's* County, commodiouſly ſituated in the ſaid County, on the Head of the North Branch of *Wye* River, within half a Mile of a good Landing, together with the NEGROES, STOCK, and UTENSILS, thereon. The Tract contains upwards of Four Hundred Acres, on which there is a large clear'd Plantation, a good Dwelling-Houſe, and other Office-Houſes, and ſome valuable Meadow very well water'd. The whole Tract very fit for producing Corn, Tobacco, and Wheat, of which laſt there is a conſiderable Quantity now put in the Ground.

Any Perſon inclining to Rent the Premiſes, are deſired to apply to *John Bracco*, now at *Annapolis*, or the ſaid *Thomas Wilſon*, at his Dwelling-Plantation on *Wye* River aforeſaid, and know the Terms on which they will be Let. 4

TO BE SOLD,

By the Subſcriber, in ANNAPOLIS, *at very reaſonable Rates*,

GOOD CLARET WINE, *Weſt-India* RUM, Loaf and *Muſcovado* SUGAR, MELASSES in Barrels, and good *Caſtile* SOAP by the Box. 5 JAMES JOHNSON, junior.

TO BE SOLD, 5

HAIRS, lately imported from *London*, to the Amount of about Twenty-five Pounds Sterling firſt Coſt, very good, and well aſorted; alſo, ſome Barber's Utenſils. Enquire of the Printer.

September 21, 1757.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living in *Annapolis*, on the 20th Inſtant, a Convict Servant Man named *William Logan*, a Barber by Trade, about 23 or 24 Years of Age, of a very ſmall Stature and effeminate Look, wears his own Hair, which is a dark brown, and curls a little: He is pert and talkative. Had on a grey Bear-ſkin Coat with white Metal Buttons, a red Waiſt-coat, brown *German* Serge Breeches, white Stockings, and an old Hour'd Hat.

Whoever takes up and brings home the ſaid Servant, if taken within Five Miles of Town, ſhall have Thirty Shillings Reward, beſide what the Law allows; and if further off, Three Pounds, and reaſonable Charges, paid by

ANDREW BUCHANAN. X 5

Port-Tobacco, September 2, 1757.

TAKEN out of *Port-Tobacco* old Church, on Wedneſday Night, the 31ſt *ultimo*, a Woman's GOLD WATCH, made by FOSTER, LONDON; the Out-ſide Caſe of black Shagreen, the In-ſide Caſe Gold chas'd; and has a very fine double waſh'd Pinch-beck Chain, a Gold Dial-Plate, a fine Stone Seal of Pinch-beck, double waſh'd, and an Egg of Gold to put Sponge in. Alſo a Woman's Huſwife with three Flaps, and full of Needles of different Kinds, and ſeveral more Trifles, ſuch as Ruffles, &c.

Whoever will bring or contrive the ſaid Watch and Huſwife to the Subſcriber, or to Mr. *Walter Hanſon*, Major *Daniel of St. Thomas Jenifer*, or to Mr. *William Douglaſs*, ſhall have THREE PISTOLES and a HALF Reward, and no Queſtions aſk'd. WILLIAM WASTE.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of Dr. *Alexander Hamilton*, late of *Annapolis*, deceaſed, are deſired to make immediate Payment, otherwiſe they may expect to be ſued: And thoſe who have any Demands againſt the ſaid Eſtate, are deſired to bring in their Accounts, that they may be ſettled by WILLIAM MURDOCK.

JOHN INCH,

Living near the DOCK at ANNAPOLIS,

KEEPS a good BOAT and HANDS to carry Paſſengers, Carriages, and Horſes, acroſs the Bay to *Kent-Iſland*, or *Eaſtern-Neck*, at the uſual Prices. And, as he keeps a Houſe of ENTERTAINMENT, all Travellers may depend on good Proviſions, and kind Treatment, From

Their humble Servant,
JOHN INCH.

N. B. He has a good COOPER who performs any Thing in that Way of Buſineſs, at very reaſonable Prices.

THE Subſcriber intending ſhortly for ENGLAND, deſires Settlements with all Perſons who have open Accounts with him, and Payment from as many as can oblige him. Such as cannot diſcharge their Ballances, will be indulged with Time, on giving Security, if thought neceſſary to be required. HANCOCK LEE.

TO BE SOLD BY THE SUBSCRIBER, at his Houſe near Elk-Ridge *Church, in* Anne-Arundel *County*,

AN Aſſortment of good freſh MEDICINES, Chymical and Galenical, imported from *London*, ſufficient (with the Addition of a few more, which may be had here) to furniſh a Shop for a Beginner in the Practice of Phyſic; as alſo Utenſils for an Apothecary's Shop, a compleat new Set of Surgeon's Inſtruments, a ſmall Collection of new Books on Surgery, Phyſic, &c. The Medicines to be Sold all in one Article, the Inſtruments in another, and the Books and Shop-Furniture, as the Buyer ſhall have Occaſion, and as ſhall be agreed on, all at reaſonable Rates, for Sterling or Current Money, or Credit upon Security, if required, by JAMES MACGILL.

N. B. A Catalogue of the Books may be ſeen at the PRINTING-OFFICE.

WANTED,

A CURATE in *Dorcheſter* Pariſh, in *Dorcheſter* County. Any CLERGYMAN of the Church of *England*, that is without a Pariſh, and can come well recommended, will meet with great Encouragement, by applying to the Veſtrymen of ſaid Pariſh, who are impowered by the preſent Incumbent to agree with ſome fit Perſon to officiate in his Place.

Signed per *Order*,
ROGER JONES, Regiſter.

June 9, 1757.

ALL Perſons indebted to the PAPER CURRENCY OFFICE, are required to pay the INTEREST due on their BONDS within Six Months from the Date hereof, otherwiſe the Bonds will be put in Suit.

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